

## **REMARKS**

### **Status**

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated March 3, 2009, in which Claims 1-18 and 21-28 were rejected and Claims 19-20 were allowed. Claims 2-4, 6, 8-9, 11-14, and 17 have been amended. Claims 1, 10, and 21-28 have been canceled. No new claims have been added. Accordingly, 2-9 and 11-20 are pending in the Application and are presented for reconsideration and allowance.

### **Allowed Subject Matter**

Claims 19 and 20 are allowed. Applicants thank the Examiner for the allowance of these claims.

### **Claim Rejections - 35 USC 102 and 35 USC 103**

Claims 1-10, 15-18, and 21-27 stand rejected under 35 USC 102 as being anticipated by US Application Publication No. 2002/0097902 (Roehrig902).

Claims 11-14 stand rejected under 35 USC 103 as being unpatentable over US Application Publication No. 2002/0097902 (Roehrig902) in view of US Patent No. 7,054,473 (Roehrig473).

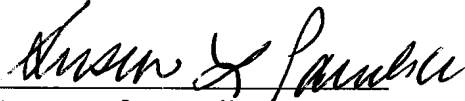
In order to promote prosecution of the present application, and without conceding either the correctness of the Office Action's position or the need for amendment for patentability reasons, Applicants have amended Claims 2-4, 6, 8-9, 11-14, and 17 to be dependent (either directly or indirectly) on independent Claim 19. Since Claims 2-9 and 11-18 now depend from allowable independent Claim 19, these claims are therefore believed to be in condition for allowance.

### **Summary**

Should the Examiner consider that additional amendments are necessary to place the application in condition for allowance, the favor is requested of a telephone call to the undersigned counsel for the purpose of discussing such amendments.

For the reasons set forth above, it is believed that the application is in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration and favorable action are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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